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It is noticed that fat men, as a general thing, are well-to-do in the world. That's because they don't allow lean men to see them.

Another victory for Don Carlos, eh? How many thousands of these Spanish victories does it take to make one decent, good-sized victory?

This is indeed an advanced age. Instead of a wedding and a minister's fee, they just jump over a broomstick in Indiana, and call it "a soul union."

The New Orleans "Press Club" has passed resolutions against treating. This would seem to be a superfluous precaution. How about being treated?

Even the most unconscionable punters among our cotemporaries haven't been able to do anything so far with such words as Dollymount and Abercorn.

Leading articles in the Georgia papers now invariably commence with some such paragraph as "Mr. — will please accept our thanks for a box of fine peaches."

At a recent bull fight in Madrid, Spain, eight bulls, twelve horses and two men were killed. The entertainment was given for the benefit of a society for "assisting widows and orphans."

When a man in Syria has the hydrophobia, they keep him in a dark room awhile, and then drop him from an eminence into the sea. The authorities are silent as to what becomes of Fido.

Harvard graduated its first class in 1637, William and Mary in 1692, Yale in 1702, Princeton in 1748, University of Pennsylvania in 1753, Columbia 1754, Brown 1764, Dartmouth 1769, Rutgers 1770.

Scarf at the influence of an enlightened civilization, will you? Out in Washington county now they've got so far as to dedicate new cheese factories with music, prayer and dancing.—N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.

When a Peruvian editor writes a truthful little paragraph about one of the Peruvian great men, the authorities capture him and make him swallow the paper in which the paragraph appears. He is then taken out and shot.

Thought it would come to that eventually. The correspondents are abusing Cora Pearl, the brazen Parisian demi-mondaine, now that she is getting old, and describe her as hard, haggard, and coarse, with little parrot-like eyes.

Baltimore lawyers are amazed at the vigorous memory and lucid logic of Reverdy Johnson, now in his eighty-first year. His physical strength, too, seems to puzzle them. He stood and argued a case in court for a whole day last week, without appearing fatigued in the least.

When people are accorded a reception at the Vatican, it is customary to kneel at the close of the interview and receive the Pope's benediction. Recently, on one of these occasions, a party of English ladies stood, while all around them knelt. The Holy Father turned to those who were accompanying him and said: "So we have an addition to the statues in the Vatican collection." It will strike most persons that the rebuke was well merited under the circumstances.

THE SWAMP ANGELS.

Capture of George Applewhite, the Last of the Lowry Gang—A Desperate Struggle with a Desperate Man.

Goldboro, N. C. Correspondence of the New York Herald.

Since 1871, a stalwart mulatto, passing under the assumed name of Bill Jackson, has been living in this locality, following the vocation of a plasterer and brick-mason. It seems that Jackson and another negro, whose name escapes my memory, for some time have been suitors for the hand of the same woman, and that this contest engendered the most bitter hostility between them. They had hitherto been warm friends, and it was during this period of intimacy between them Jackson divulged to him the ghastly secrets of his former life with the robber chief, Henry Berry Lowry, in Robeson county. Jackson's rival betrayed him, and acting upon information received from him, certain parties here addressed a letter to Mr. McMillan, the Sheriff of Robeson county, asking for a minute description of Geo. Applewhite. A photograph of the bandit was the response, and led to the apprehension of Bill Jackson as the escaped freebooter. Applewhite was standing, engaged in conversation, upon one of our principal streets to-day, when he was approached by William Freeman and Bryant Capps, who commanded him to surrender. Upon his refusing the summons, the officers clinched him, when

A Desperate Struggle.

ensured. Though wholly unarmed Applewhite did effective execution with his brawny fists, knocking Freeman into chaos and out of time in the first round. This giving him a momentary freedom, he ran rapidly down James street toward the market-house, but was soon overtaken by his fleet pursuers and beaten into submission. He was terribly cut and bruised by the batons of the police, both in the temple and back of his head. The officials here are positive as to his identity since coming into possession of the photograph. It will be remembered that George Applewhite murdered Mr. King, a former sheriff of Robeson county, and for which felony, in conjunction with others of no less magnitude, he was

SENTENCED TO DEATH.

However, with the assistance of his confederates, he escaped, and has been at large ever since until now. He was considered one of the most daring, brutal and devilish of the "swamp angels," and his name alone suggested murder. There is a standing reward of \$5000 for his body, dead or alive. To-night a strong guard will be placed around the jail in which he is imprisoned, to prevent any possible attempt at rescue. Intense excitement prevails here consequent upon his capture, and knots of citizens upon the various street corners have been discussing the event the entire afternoon.

Robeson county is only distant about eighty miles from this point, and it is a little remarkable that an outlaw of George Applewhite's reputed sagacity should expose himself so near the theater of his many depredations.

Bijah Reproved.

Detroit Free Press.]

"Bijah, were you brought up among heathens?" sharply inquired His Honor. The Court had cut a hole in a lemon and was slowly sucking the juice while the clerk was getting the warrants ready. Bijah had been watching him for two or three minutes, licking his chops and wearing a hungry expression.

"I guess I was—I was born in New Jersey," replied the old janitor. This being His Honor's native State, he laid the lemon on the desk, propped it from rolling off with his pen-holder, and remarked:

"Mr. Joy, you are getting old and ashy. It grieves me to see it, but I realize that it is so. You have got to turn over a new leaf or the silken cord of friendship which has so long united us shall be severed."

"Is it any harm to see a fellow suck a lemon?" exclaimed Bijah.

"Mr. Joy, this world is full of harm. This very lemon, plump and fair as it appears to the eye, may cause my death within one hour. You may now open court and call out the prisoners, and I hope the words I have spoken may make a deep impression on your heart. If you ever have a monument the funds will come from my wallet, and I shall not care to remember anything but your good deeds and your big feet. Bring out the vicious and the unfortunate, and let the cotillion commence."

Bunker Hill and Lexington—An English View.

The Pall Mall Gazette says: The battle of Bunker's Hill resembles the battle of Lexington, with which the American war began two months before, in that both of them illustrate the ignorance of the British commanders. American writers have been of late discussing the undoubted success of their forefathers at the latter action; but with the exception of a single military journalist, not one seems to have grasped a single fact that the bushwhacking which harassed Lord Percy's column so severely on his return from destroying the colonists' military stores at Concord, was not opposed by any skirmishing. The British troops retired through Lexington in a column along the high road, allowing their pursuers to take shots at them from behind the hedges as they went. Now, skirmishing, it is true, was not yet generally practiced in any European army. Still this was no excuse for the British generals, who had the experience of half a century's struggle with the French in North America to guide them. But they had talked then, as now, about the beauty of the "British line," and had left the covering of it in advance or retreat to Indians or to the less regular provincial troops to whom

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